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**MEMORANDUM FOR: Project Director of Administration**

**SUBJECT : Personnel Testing of Project Security Personnel**

1. This is forwarded to record the substance of my conversation on 18 May 1956 with [redacted], Project Personnel Officer, concerning personnel testing and evaluation of Project Security personnel while they are engaged within their current assignment.

2. In anticipation of placement responsibilities on return of Project Security personnel at the conclusion of Project activities, I questioned [redacted] regarding the feasibility of administering a personnel evaluation of our Security personnel. He expressed agreement that such evaluation is desirable and would prove valuable to any placement planning. He further suggested we commence at once.

3. With the above in mind, I would like to recommend initiation of such evaluation. This could be incorporated into the training period set aside for the last group coming on board in June. The test could also be administered to the men at Watertown about mid July and to the men in Detachment A during some TDY tour of an appropriate Headquarters representative.

4. I personally feel a personnel evaluation such as that used within the Junior Officer Training Program is desirable and should be accomplished in the near future. If you agree with this proposal, this matter will be explored in detail with Mr. [redacted] and a program devised to accomplish the evaluations.

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Project Security Officer

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